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| In re Application of: |) | Group Art Unit: 3767 |
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| BICKFORD SMITH, Philip et al. |) | Examiner: Anderson, Michael J. |
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| For: MEDICAL SMALL-BORE TUBING |) | |
| SYSTEM AND KIT |) | Pasadena, California |

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on December 8, 2008, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.